Integrated Supply Inventory System (ISIS)



Supply Management Unit Combat Logistics Regiment – 15 1st Marine Logistics Group 1st Marine Expeditionary Force

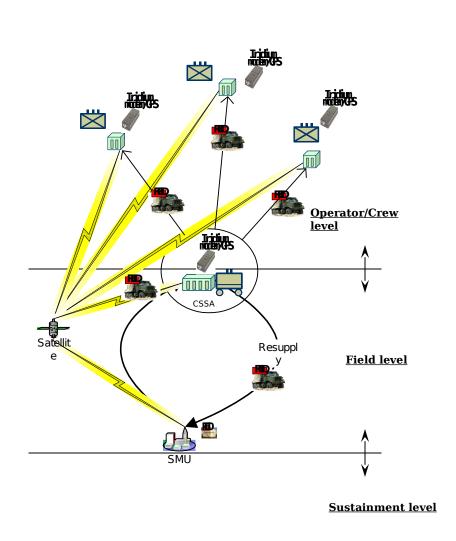
ISIS AGENDA

- What is it?
- Inventory Management
- Transactions
- RFID Technology
- Expeditionary Capability Set
- Who's Using It
- Issues
- Way Ahead SENSUS NECESSITAS

What Is It?

- An information system that supports a shared data warehouse environment
- Utilizes standard COTS equipment without requiring a data interface
- Configured to take full advantage of active and passive RFID technology
- Intra-container warehouse management

Expeditionary Warehouse Management



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Expeditionary Inventory Management

 Monitors Inventory as single line items or "virtual kits"

Inventory, issue, and receive stock

Locates stock

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Supply Transactions

- Reads/writes bar codes, active, and passive tags
 - Able to read DLA and SMU 2D bar codes (no manual keypunching)
 - Capable of passive tag reads and transfer to active tags
- Automatic stock replenishment transaction
 - Capable of automatic stock re-comps to update balance file.
 - Automatically send SASSY courier files

RFID Technology

- SAVY PDK
 - Satellite-based system
 - No fixed communications or RFID interrogator
 - Provides visibility between and beyond existing RFID nodes.
 - Read/writes RFID tags (active & passive)
- Provides Active RFID interrogator in support of distribution
- Existing technology



ITV NETWORK

Shared Data Warehouse

> **Ethernet Connectivity USB Flash File Transfers SALTS EMAIL**

Provide Data Transmission Data Provide Global Position Data Iridium & Cellular, Communications



Containers not included



Read | Write Active range , identify container contents, search by NSN identify container range , identify container contents.

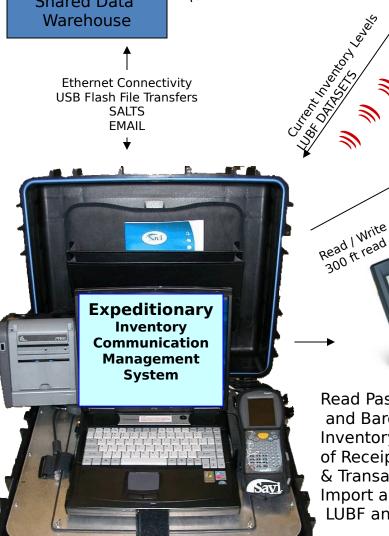
Read Passive / Active RFID Tags and Barcodes. **Inventory Management** of Receipts, Issues, Inventory Level & Transaction History

Import and Search LUBF and DASF Reports



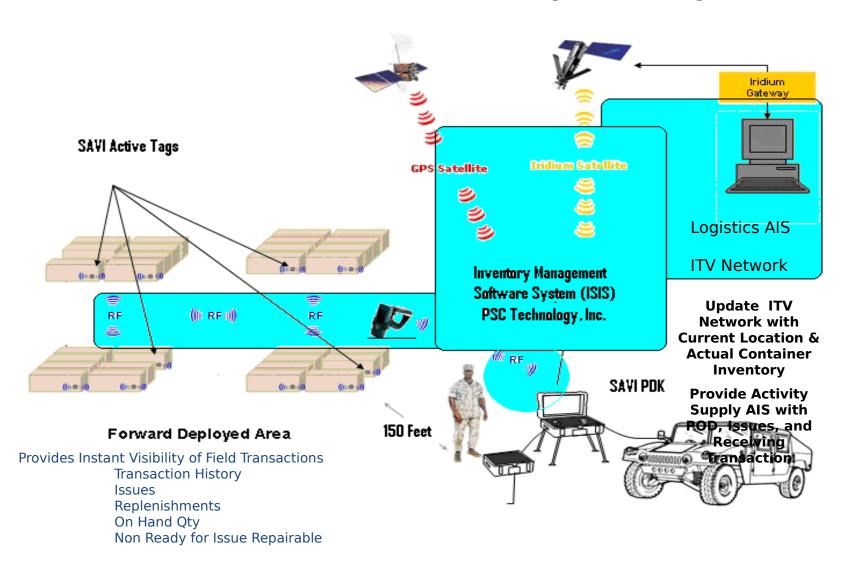
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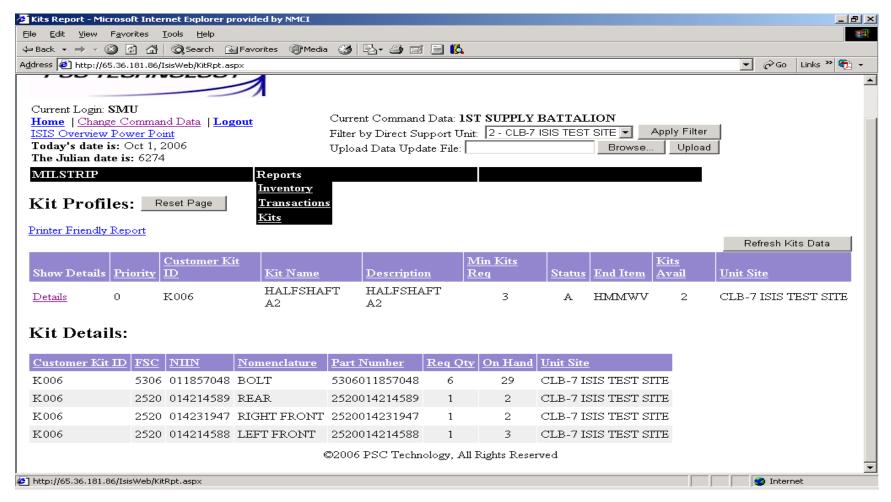


ISIS BIG PICTURE

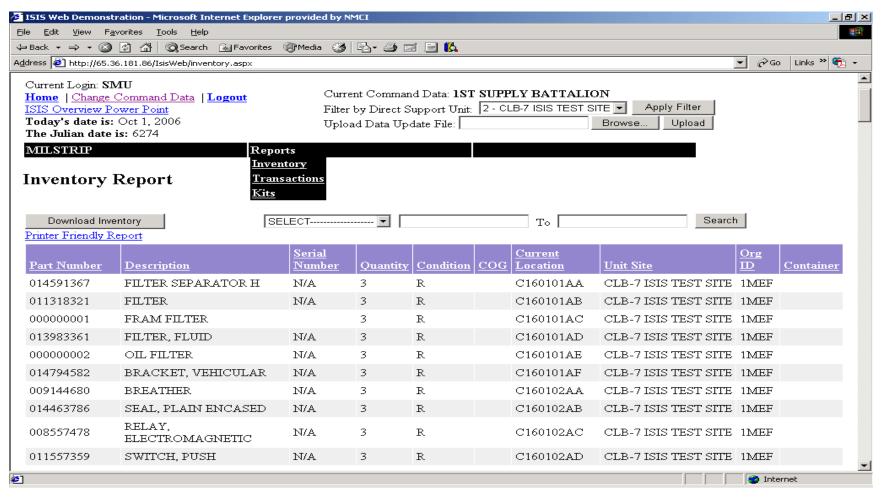
PDK & ISIS = Total Asset Visibility & Management



Detail data on number of kits, available parts & asset location



Near real-time inventory visibility via web access.



Expeditionary Capability

OMBAT LOGSET

- Four components that facilitate the logistics expeditionary capability set
 - ISIS software

Not required for ISIS

- PDK hardware
- Expeditionary warehousing anit
- Trailer
- ECS provides enhanced visibility, inventory control, and agility

Expeditionary Warehousing Unit + Trailers



Expeditionary Warehousing Unit



Who's Using It

- ISIS is currently being employed at the following 1st MLG locations:
 - CLB-7 Twenty-nine Palms, CA
 - CLB-11 Currently Deployed

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- CLB-15 Camp Pendleton, CA
- CLB-5 Camp Pendleton, CA {new}
- CLB-13 Camp Pendleton, CA {TBD}

CLB-11 ISIS Employment

CLB-11 is currently using ISIS while deployed

Used solely as an expeditionary warehouse management tool

 Tests are being conducted for possible expanded future use

CLB-15 ISIS Employment

- Current ConOps
 - ISIS distributed across three ships to better support the 15th MEU while underway.
 - Utilizing the full range of supply functions (e.g. issue, receipt, inventory, etc.)
 - Testing the concept of using the system for the complete Class IX block in addition to Virtual Kits

CLB-7 Inventory Management

43 plus virtual kits and expanding

 843 NSNs and growing (includes traditional Class-IX block)

MBATCLB-70ECS

 Currently operating with 2 Expeditionary Warehousing Units and trailers

 Successfully deployed the ECS to black top area in 29 Palms, Via Rainbow Canyon

 Satellite transmission utilized in field operation from black top area 29 Palms

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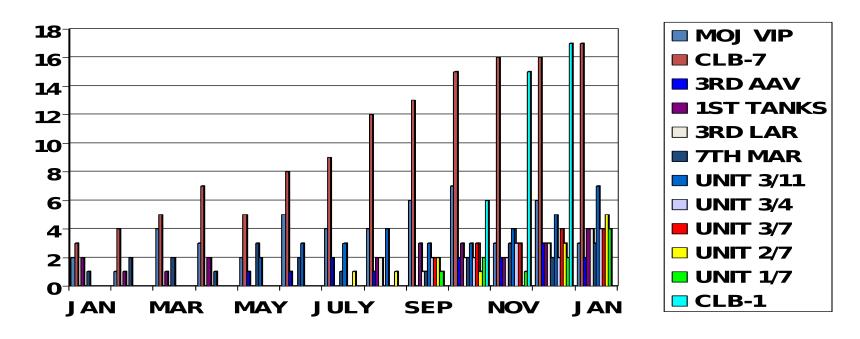
CLB-7 Maintenance

 38 plus same day turnaround repairs so far, for just CLB-7 alone.

 All usage either down graded an end item from a combat dead-lined status or completed the equipment repair order.

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CLB-7 Increased Usage



"Roach Coach"- Transported ECS around to different motor pools of 7th Marines IOT show its capabilities

Customers have grown by 44%

Utilized by CLB-1 for Mojave Viper

CLB-5 ISIS Employment

- Current ConOps
 - ISIS/PDK suite in the deployment to Iraq in support of 5th Marines
 - Plans to utilize full range of system capabilities (e.g. active & passive tags, issue, receipt, etc.)
 - Current Inventory management involves 40 virtual kits containing 201 NSNs

Concerns Addressed During Testing

- Internet Inventory not updating fast enough (CLB 7)
- Transaction formats files created with spaces (CLB 7)
- Transmissions to web portal (CLB 15)
- Software version updates slowed system (CLBs-7 & 11 + SMU)
- Vendor support (CLB 7 & SMU) "Walk" phase

ISSUES - Good

- Supports Expeditionary and Distributed Ops
- Easy and well organized issue/receipt process
- Web portal is a great tool for customer stock checks
- ISIS locator system reduces the time required to retrieve parts
- Hand-held scanners are great for obtaining information and transmitting updates

Lessons Learned

- Business process changes.
 - Formalized process to request parts
 - Maintain a log of events
 - Batch couriers daily

 Implemented an auto-replenishment module - Create one courier to offset replenishment every-time

WAYSAHEAD

Continued testing of its capabilities

 Expand use as lessons learned are applied and processes are smoothed

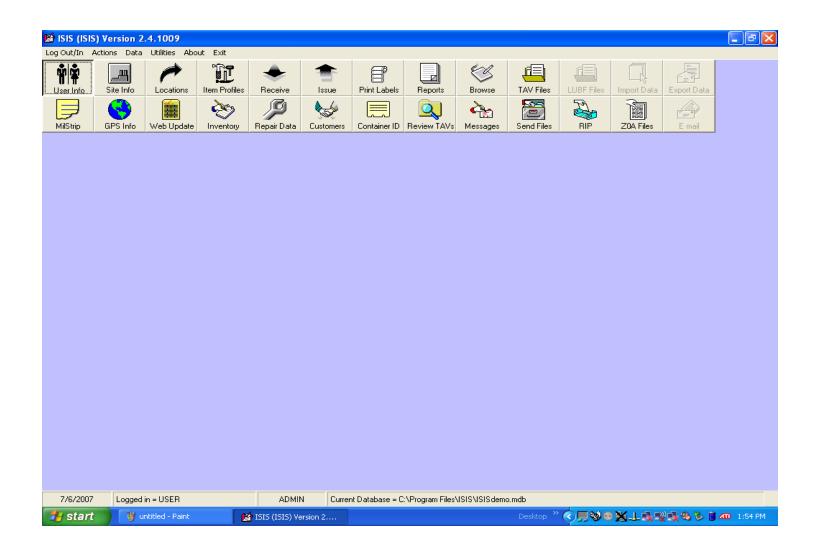
Program of Record/Bridge Technology

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Back up Slides

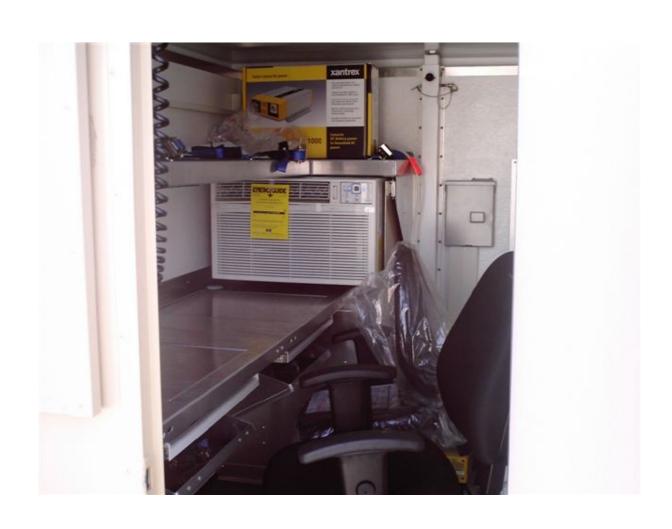
ISIS Screen View



Expeditionary Warehousing Unit + Trailers



Expeditionary Warehousing Unit



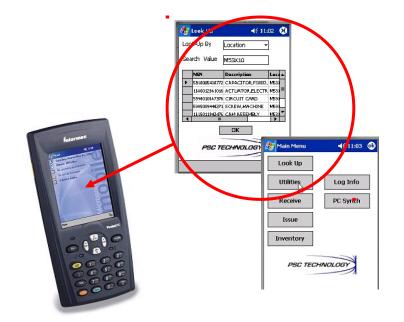
CLB-7 Initiatives

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Hand-Held Used with ISIS

The cornerstone of the ISIS Deployment Management System is the hand-held computer application. This application will allow the deployed user to perform inventories, receive and issue material and review inventory events.





This information can then be uploaded to a home activity via Iridium modem or email. The System additionally provides ITV network with current inventory and GPS Location.

The activity will then have current inventory levels, event and transaction history not previously available.

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Portable Deployment Kit (PDK)



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Concept of Supply Support

Satellite



CLB-Concept of Supply Support will utilize NLI concepts, Virtual Kitting, and Expeditionary Warehousing to pushing sustainment in support of MEU Operations.



Virtual Kitting

Identifies 100% of the parts needed repair frequently deadlining maintenance events.

Savi PDK/ISIS

Provides active/passive RFID tag interrogation and GPS/ITV satellite communications with inventory management.

Virtual Layettes

Pre-built layettes designed to repair frequently deadlining maintenance events. Parts all individually stocked.



Footprint Reduction

• Iridium Modem

Compressing Class IX and consumable inventory footprint to maximize limited embarkation space.

Expeditionary Warehousing

Mobile, modular, scalable, rapidly deployable, expeditionary, container systems compatible with the JMIC concept.